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Honorable James H. Welsh Commissioner of Conservation Office of Conservation P. O. Box 94275 Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4275

Re:

Upper Tuscaloosa Sand, Reservoir A
20,350' Tuscaloosa Sand, Reservoir A
Lower Tuscaloosa Sand, Reservoir A
20,800' Tuscaloosa Sand, Reservoir A
21,100' Tuscaloosa Sand, Reservoir A
JUDGE DIGBY FIELD
18,100' Tuscaloosa Sand, Reservoir A

MOORE-SAMS FIELD

Pointe Coupee Parish, Louisiana

Dear Commissioner Welsh:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **BP AMERICA PRODUCTION COMPANY** for the calling of public hearings, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of orders pertaining to the following matters:

- To create one (1) additional drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate for each of the above captioned sands and reservoirs in Judge Digby Field, Pointe Coupee Parish, Louisiana, to be designated as follows: U TUSC RA SUO, 20350 TUSC RA SUO, L TUSC RA SUO, 20800 TUSC RA SUO, and 21100 TUSC RA SUO, respectively, all as shown on the plat attached hereto and made a part hereof.
- 2. To create one (1) additional drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate for the 18,100' Tuscaloosa Sand, Reservoir A, in Moore-Sams Field, Pointe Coupee Parish, Louisiana, to be designated 18100 TUSC RA SURR, as shown on the plat attached hereto and made a part hereof.
- 3. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within each of the proposed units, with each separate tract sharing in unit production on a surface acre basis of participation.

- 4. Except to the extent herein contrary, to extend to the proposed additional units all pertinent provisions of the respective series of orders applicable to each unit and all applicable Statewide Orders.
- 5. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Upper Tuscaloosa Sand, Reservoir A, in the Judge Digby Field, Pointe Coupee Parish, Louisiana, was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 1046, effective September 6, 1978, and redefined by Office of Conservation Order No. 1046-A-14, effective January 12, 2000.

The 20,350' Tuscaloosa Sand, Reservoir A, in the Judge Digby Field, Pointe Coupee Parish, Louisiana, was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 1046-A-15, effective January 12, 2000, and redefined by Office of Conservation Order No. 1046-A-38, effective April 6, 2004.

The Lower Tuscaloosa Sand, Reservoir A, in the Judge Digby Field, Pointe Coupee Parish, Louisiana, was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 1046, effective September 6, 1978, and redefined by Office of Conservation Order No. 1046-A-31, effective July 23, 2002.

The 20,800' Tuscaloosa Sand, Reservoir A, in the Judge Digby Field, Pointe Coupee Parish, Louisiana, was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 1046-F, effective July 23, 2002.

The 21,100' Tuscaloosa Sand, Reservoir A, in the Judge Digby Field, Pointe Coupee Parish, Louisiana, was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 1046-D, effective June 2, 1998.

The 18,100' Tuscaloosa Sand, Reservoir A, in the Moore-Sams Field, Pointe Coupee Parish, Louisiana, was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 1063, effective May 1, 1979, and was redefined by Office of Conservation Order No. 1063-A-3, effective January 13, 1982.

Pertinent data relating to the applicant's proposals can be obtained, <u>AT THE COST OF</u> <u>THE REQUESTING PARTY</u>, from Remy Williams at W. H. Robbins & Associates, 302 La Rue France, Lafayette, Louisiana, 70508, Telephone Number 337/232-5004.

Pursuant to the Rules of Procedure, pre-application notice was given; however, no request for the conference was received. Therefore, the conference tentatively scheduled for July 28, 2006, <u>WILL NOT BE HELD</u>.

Attached hereto and made a part hereof is a plat outlining the applicant's proposals, along with a list of the names and addresses of the Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties to whom a copy of this application is being sent. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, such plat (being the same plat attached to the pre-application notice dated

<u>July 7, 2006</u>) and list of parties are being furnished only to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation; however, the plat and/or list of parties will be provided to any party requesting copies. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Interested Parties and Represented Parties.

Finally, enclosed is our check in the amount of \$4,530.00 made payable to the Office of Conservation submitted on behalf of the applicant representing the hearing application fee.

Very truly yours,

Richard W. Revels, Jr.

RWRjr/dbf Enclosures

cc: Mr. Richard Hudson, Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation

cc: Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties

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